

In re Application of: PACE et al.  
 Application No. 09/667,328  
 Filed: September 21, 2000  
 For: SURFACE MODIFIED PARTICULATE COMPOSITIONS OF BIOLOGICALLY ACTIVE SUBSTANCES

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

☐ Applicants claim small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

☒ **Petition for Extension of Time**

- ☒ Applicants petition for a three-month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee for which is \$920.00 (enclosed).  
☐ Applicants believe that no petition for an extension of time is necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, Applicants hereby petition for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 12-1216 for the appropriate petition fee.

☒ No additional claim fee is required.

☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

					SMALL ENTITY		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY		
		CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADDIT. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL		23	MINUS	23	=0	x 9=	\$0.00	x 18=	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT		2	MINUS	2	=0	x 42=	\$0.00	x 84=	\$0.00
<input type="checkbox"/>	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 140=	\$	+ 280=	\$
						TOTAL	\$0.00	TOTAL	\$0.00

☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 12-1216 in the amount of \$ . A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

☒ A check in the amount of \$920.00 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 12-1216. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.

- ☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.  
☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

*Shannon Schemel*  
 Shannon Schemel, Reg. No. 47,926  
 LEYDIG, VOIT & MAYER, LTD.  
 700 Thirteenth Street, N.W., Suite 300  
 Washington, DC 20005-3960  
 (202) 737-6770 (telephone)  
 (202) 737-6776 (facsimile)

Date: July 8, 2002

Amendment or ROA Transmittal (Revised 9/28/01)

RECEIVED  
 JUL 12 2002  
 TECH CENTER 1600/2900

08/06/2002 VBARLOW 00000001 121216 09667328  
 920.00 CH  
 01 FC:117